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FM AMEMBASSY PANAMA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 458

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TAGS: EFIS, PN

SUBJ: SEIZURE OF US TUNA FISHING VESSEL

REF: STATE 81543

1. AS REPORTED OURTEL 2293 FINE WAS DIVIDED INTO TWO PARTS (1) \$7,200 FOR FAILURE TO HAVE A NAVIGATION PERMIT AND (2) \$50,000 FOR FAILURE TO HAVE FISHING LICENSE.

2. LAWS CITED IN THE RESOLUTIONS WHICH LEVIED \$7,200 FINE ARE ARTICLES 5 AND 6 OF CABINET DECREE NO. 15 OF 27 JANUARY, 1972, AND ARTICLE 1239 OF THE FISCAL CODE. WE HAVE PERUSED THESE ARTICLES BUT IT IS AS YET UNCLEAR TO US HOW THE AMOUNT WAS ARRIVED AT. WE ARE SEEKING CLARIFICATION OF THIS FINE.

3. \$50,000 FINE WAS LEVIED UNDER ARTICLES 285 AND 297 OF THE FISCAL CODE AND UNDER LAW DECREES NUMBER 127 OF JULY 28, 1964; NUMBER 17 OF JULY 9, 1959, AND NUMBER 42 OF JANUARY 24, 1965. LAW DECREE 17 ESTABLISHES FINE OF FROM \$10,000 TO \$100,000 FOR ANY INFRACTION OF THE REGULATORY DECREES GOVERNING FISHING.

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4. EMBASSY IS FORWARDING AIRGRAM WITH COPIES OF PERTINENT
LAWS AND DECREE AS WELL AS COPIES OF RESOLUTION WHICH
LEVIED FINES.
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